Decades ago, the mutant known as Wolverine found peace in Japan and had a son with his wife, Itsu Akihiro. The peace was short-lived—Itsu was murdered and Wolverine believed his son died with her… but the boy lived. Like his father, the son possessed enhanced senses, a powerful healing factor, and razor-sharp claws on each hand. He became known by the name he was taunted with as a child: the Japanese term for "mongrel", Daken. As he grew, he blamed his father for his mother's death, and this resentment consumed him. Recently, Norman Osborn, the former costumed villain known as the Green Goblin, took the moniker Iron Patriot and became the Director of the U.S. government's espionage strike-team, H.A.M.M.E.R., as well as leader of its super hero team, the Avengers. Osborn then populated the Avengers with powered beings he felt he could trust along with a host of super villains and Daken as a…

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Norman has been using Daken and his team of Dark Avengers to remake the country's status quo into his image of justice and fairness. An image that does not include mutant, monster or vigilante. And Osborn's more than willing to bend, break, or disregard basic human rights in order to achieve his dream.

Thor, the mighty god of thunder, has recently returned to Earth and brought the golden city of Asgard—and all the gods who call it home—with him. But Norman has secretly partnered with Thor's evil half-brother Loki in a plan to overthrow the golden city, covering his tracks by rallying the troops to defend American soil from the threat of Asgard. Now Osborn, H.A.M.M.E.R. and the Dark Avengers have laid siege to Asgard…and Daken…as always…has everyone right where he wants them…

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